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RADCLIFF MAN INDICTED FOR HITTING A PEDESTRIAN WITH HIS VEHICLE ON FORT KNOX. WANTON ENDANGERMENT, DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE, AND LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT

LOUISVILLE, KY - A federal grand jury in Louisville returned an indictment against Terrell Deshawn Edwards, age 21, of Radcliff, Kentucky, on charges of Assault Resulting in Serious Bodily Injury, Wanton Endangerment, Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol, and Operating a Motor Vehicle Involved in an Accident Resulting in Injury and Failing to Immediately Stop and Ascertain the Extent of Injuries and Render Reasonable Assistance, U.S. Attorney David L. Huber of the Western District of Kentucky announced today.

The Indictment alleges that on June 10, 2007, Edwards was patronizing a night club on the Fort Knox Military Reservation, where he imbibed at least four alcoholic beverages. After the night club closed, one or more of Edwards' companions got into an altercation in a parking lot nearby. Edwards entered a vehicle, drove toward the persons in the altercation and struck a man, breaking the man's leg and causing other injuries. Without stopping, Edwards then left the area in his vehicle.

In the event of a conviction, the maximum potential penalties are 16 years and 30 days imprisonment, a \$257,500 fine, and supervised release for a period of 3 years; and the minimum potential penalties are 1 year and 4 days imprisonment and a \$3,200 fine.

The case is being prosecuted by Special Assistant United States Attorney Christopher Waite, and it was investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Edwards is scheduled to appear for arraignment before the United States Magistrate Judge on July 19th, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. in Louisville, Kentucky.

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The indictment of a person by a Grand Jury is an accusation only and that person is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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